1 2 3 4 5 6 7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 8 FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 9 WESTERN DIVISION 10 11 MEGAN NEWMAN, No. CV 18-8185-FMO (GJSx) 12 Plaintiff, ORDER ON STIPULATION [59] TO AMEND SCHEDULING ORDER TO 13 v. AUTHORIZE DEPOSITIONS AFTER FACT DISCOVERY CUT-OFF 14 MARK ESPER<sup>1</sup>, Secretary, U.S. Department of Defense, in his official 15 Honorable Fernando M. Olguin capacity on behalf of the Defense United States District Judge Contract Management Agency, and 16 DOES, 1 to 10, inclusive, 17 Defendants. 18 19 Upon considering the parties' Stipulation to Amend Scheduling Order to 20 Authorize Depositions After Fact Discovery Cut-Off, and good cause appearing 21 therefore, this Court orders as follows: 22 1) The continued deposition of Manisha Patel can occur on a mutually convenient 23 date in February 2020. 24 2) The deposition of Analyn Suarez (a third-party witness) can occur on a mutually 25 convenient date in February 2020. 26 3) In the event Plaintiff is unable to complete the deposition of the representative of 27 <sup>1</sup> Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 25(d), Mark Esper, Secretary of 28 Defense, is automatically substituted for his predecessor, Patrick M. Shanahan.

Defense Contract Management Agency on January 30, 2020, for reasons independent of the venue's availability, the parties can continue the deposition on a mutually agreeable date on or before February 24, 2020.

4) In the event that Plaintiff is unable to complete her examination of Ms. Black on January 31, 2020, Plaintiff is authorized to continue the deposition of Ms. Black on a mutually agreeable date on or before February 24, 2020.

Dated: January 31, 2020

/s/ Fernando M. Olguin
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE